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	City Council approves \$7.4M bid	10/05/2021	Daily Eastern News, Eastern Illinois University	IL	 

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News Date: 10/06/2021

Outlet Full Name: WXER-FM Online, The

Outlet State: WI

News Text: The Wisconsin DNR on Tuesday announced the newly released 2021 Wisconsin Air Quality Trends report, and it shows that Sheboygan County...

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Outlet Full Name: WHBL-AM Online

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News Text: The Wisconsin DNR on Tuesday announced the newly released 2021 Wisconsin Air Quality Trends report, and it shows that Sheboygan County...

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News Headline: Asbestos rubble to be cleared from U.P. fire site |  

News Date: 10/06/2021

Outlet Full Name: MLive

Outlet State: MI

News Text: The debris has sat in downtown Calumet since May The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency is removing asbestos-contaminated...

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News Headline: Wisconsin Air Quality Report Shows Improvement |  

News Date: 10/06/2021

Outlet Full Name: River Falls Journal - Online

Outlet State: WI

News Text: ...dioxide and carbon monoxide. "Based on extensive health studies, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) establishes...

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Outlet Full Name: Hudson Star-Observer

Outlet State: WI

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Outlet Full Name: Traverse City Record-Eagle Online

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

News Date: 10/07/2021

Outlet Full Name: Winona Daily News Online

Outlet State: MN

News Text: ...than 2,600 homes, the department said. People are also reading... The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency said it's...

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News Date: 10/07/2021

Outlet Full Name: Times of Northwest Indiana, The

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News Date: 10/07/2021

Outlet Full Name: Kenosha News Online

Outlet State: WI

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News Date: 10/07/2021

Outlet Full Name: Madison.com

Outlet State:

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News Date: 10/07/2021

Outlet Full Name: Journal Gazette/Times-Courier Online

Outlet State: IL

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Outlet Full Name: Southern Illinoisan Online

Outlet State: IL

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Outlet Full Name: Chippewa Herald Online

Outlet State: WI

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Outlet Full Name: Washington Times-Herald Online

Outlet State: IN

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News Date: 10/07/2021

Outlet Full Name: WGBA-TV Online

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Outlet Full Name: Mankato Free Press - Online

Outlet State: MN

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News Date: 10/07/2021

Outlet Full Name: Herald Bulletin Online, The

Outlet State: IN

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News Date: 10/07/2021

Outlet Full Name: Herald & Review Online

Outlet State: IL

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News Date: 10/07/2021

Outlet Full Name: WTMJ-TV Online

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Outlet Full Name: Fox2548

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Outlet Full Name: Journal Times Online

Outlet State: WI

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Outlet Full Name: Argus-Press Online, The

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Outlet Full Name: Sentinel-Tribune

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News Date: 10/06/2021

Outlet Full Name: Star Tribune Online

Outlet State: MN

News Text: ...know how long it would take. There was no immediate comment from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. A local activist,...

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Outlet Full Name: Quincy Herald-Whig Online

Outlet State: IL

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Outlet Full Name: Belleville News-Democrat Online

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Outlet Full Name: Dispatch/Argus Online

Outlet State: IA

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News Date: 10/06/2021

Outlet Full Name: MLive

Outlet State: MI

News Text: ...the action level. Advocates have responded by pressing the city, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Michigan...

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News Headline: Benton Harbor residents urged to use bottled water in response to elevated levels of lead | 


News Date: 10/06/2021

Outlet Full Name: WJRT-TV Online

Outlet State: MI

News Text: BENTON HARBOR, Mich. – The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services is urging residents in Benton Harbor to use bottled water in...

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News Date: 10/06/2021

Outlet Full Name: WSJM

Outlet State: MI

News Text: The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services has announced the state will provide bottled water to residents of Benton Harbor as work...

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News Headline: EPA to assist Benton Harbor on lowering lead levels in water | 

News Date: 10/06/2021

Outlet Full Name: Herald-Palladium Online, The

Outlet State: MI

News Text: BENTON HARBOR - The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency said Tuesday it plans to assist Benton Harbor in an effort to help...

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News Headline: City Council approves \$7.4M bid | 

News Date: 10/05/2021

Outlet Full Name: Daily Eastern News, Eastern Illinois University

Outlet State: IL

News Text: Charleston's City Council approved a \$7.4 million bid for a Wastewater Treatment Plant Nutrient

Removal Project.

The project was awarded to the lowest bidder, Williams Brothers Construction of East Peoria, Illinois.

According to discussions in a previous council meeting, the total cost will be \$8.5 million once design and construction engineering fees and a 3% contingency required by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency have been accounted for.

The council also approved an agreement with Eastern to allow for a sidewalk to be constructed in connection to the Eastern Illinois University Panther Trail in conjunction with the City of Charleston Bicycle Plan as decided on in the May 1, 2018, council meeting. The connection would be from University Drive to the trail.

According to the resolution, Charleston and "Eastern Illinois University were integral partners in the development of the Bicycle Plan and the Comprehensive Plan, and they are integral partners in the implementation of certain segments of the plans."

The council approved a special scavenging license for Sanitation Services, Inc.

Combs said that Curt Buescher, Charleston director of public works, has been working on a cost-effective means for the City of Charleston to provide roll off dumpsters for citywide cleanups.

Combs also announced this year's Halloween Trick-or-Treat hours, which will be 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Halloween.

The council approved the continuation of the local state of emergency.

According to the resolution, "The nature of the emergency is the ongoing Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic of sufficient severity and magnitude that it may result in or threaten the death or illness of persons to such an extent that extraordinary measures must be taken to protect the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Charleston, and thereby it has warranted an emergency declaration for all states and local government entities and more specifically within the corporate limits of the City of Charleston."

The council made two proclamations, naming October 2021 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month and recognizing Oct. 3-9 as National 4-H Week.

They also approved a series of street closures, some of which are related to Eastern's upcoming Homecoming parade and the Christmas in the Heart of Charleston celebration.

The council approved the acquisition of two acres of land from First Christian Church. The plot of land is currently vacant

The land is adjacent to Sister City Park and the ordinance states that the land would be beneficial to Charleston's park system.

After the agenda was completed, city manager Scott Smith said that he wanted to recognize Charleston's police and fire departments for their response to the multiple car crashes which occurred on Oct. 4.

"That was pretty rough day yesterday in about an eight-hour period for our personnel in both police and fire," Smith said. "Everybody involved in those two departments, we appreciate all your counsel."

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